GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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GRANTS TO NGOS FOR ERADICATION OF CANCER AND AIDS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government provides grants to the Voluntary Organisations engaged in the eradication of 'Cancer' and 'HIV';

(b) if so, the details of the grants provided to these organizations during the last three years; State-wise, NGO-wise;

(c) whether any monitoring is being done by the Government for the utilization of the grants provided to such organizations;

(d) if so, whether any discrepancies have been revealed during the last three years; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken/proposed to be taken against them?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) & (b):Yes, Sir. The details in respect of grant-in-aid released under National Cancer Control Programme (NCCP) is annexed. The information for the National AIDS Control Organisation is being compiled and will be laid on the table of the House.

(c) Under the NCCP, the voluntary organizations are required to submit the utilization certificate under provisions of GFR along with audited accounts after actual utilization of funds for the purpose for which it was released.

In addition, as per NACO guidelines the voluntary organizations have to submit monthly activity reports, audited statement of expenditure and utilization certificate on half yearly and annually basis.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.